103D CONGRESS 2D SESSION

H. R. 5186

To amend title 18, United States Code, with respect to the Bureau of Prisons.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OCTOBER 5, 1994

Mr. Hughes (by request) introduced the following bill; which was referred jointly to the Committees on the Judiciary and Government Operations

A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
- 4 This Act may be cited as the "Bureau of Prisons
- 5 Community Services Projects Act of 1994".
- 6 SEC. 2. BUREAU OF PRISONS COMMUNITY SERVICE
- 7 **PROJECTS.**
- 8 (a) In General.—Chapter 303 of title 18, United
- 9 States Code, is amended by adding at the end the follow-
- 10 ing:

1 "§ 4047. Community service projects

- 2 "(a) Subject to the limitations of subsections (b) and
- 3 (c), the Chief Executive Officer of a Federal penal or cor-
- 4 rectional facility may, as part of an inmate work program,
- 5 provide products or services to private, nonprofit organiza-
- 6 tions, as defined in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Reve-
- 7 nue Code of 1986, or to a component of any State govern-
- 8 ment or political subdivision thereof. Such products or
- 9 services shall be provided pursuant to rules prescribed by
- 10 the Attorney General.
- 11 "(b) Products provided under subsection (a) shall be
- 12 of minimal cost and constructed in substantial part
- 13 through the use of excess property as defined in section
- 14 3(e) of the Federal Property and Administrative Services
- 15 Act of 1949 (40 U.S.C. 472(e)), and shall not be resold
- 16 by the recipient.
- 17 "(c) Services provided under subsection (a)—
- 18 "(1) shall be used only for the benefit of the re-
- cipient entity and not for the benefit of any individ-
- 20 ual or organization other than the recipient; and
- 21 "(2) shall not displace an employee of the recip-
- ient or result in a reduction in hours, wages, or em-
- ployment benefits of any employee of the recipient.".
- 24 (b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of chapters
- 25 at the beginning of chapter 303, title 18, United States

- 1 Code, is amended by adding at the end the following new
- 2 item:

"4047. Community service projects.".

- 3 (c) Relation to Federal Property and Admin-
- 4 ISTRATIVE SERVICES ACT OF 1949.—Section 502(d) of
- 5 the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of
- 6 1949 (40 U.S.C. 474), is amended by adding at the end
- 7 of the second paragraph the following:
- 8 "(22) the Federal Bureau of Prisons, or Fed-
- 9 eral Prison Industries, with respect to the disposal
- of property used to produce those products described
- in section 4047 of title 18, United States Code.".
- 12 (d) Relation to Chapter 85 of Title 18, Unit-
- 13 ED STATES CODE.—Section 1761(b) of title 18, United
- 14 States Code, is amended by striking the period at the end
- 15 and inserting ", nor to products provided pursuant to sec-
- 16 tion 4047 of this title.".

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